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Cc: McClain-Vanderpool, Lisa[Mcclain-Vanderpool.Lisa@epa.gov]; Hestmark, Martin[Hestmark.Martin@epa.gov]; Smith, Paula[Smith.Paula@epa.gov]; Mylott, Richard[Mylott.Richard@epa.gov]
From: McGrath, Shaun
Sent: Tue 10/13/2015 11:44:30 PM
Subject: Re: 2 of the 4 Finley follow ups - please review.

No further edits from me.

Sent from my iPad

On Oct 13, 2015, at 4:37 PM, Card, Joan <Card.Joan@epa.gov> wrote:

Deliberative Process/Ex. 5

I see that the response to the second question is the same response coming from OSWER on a question on the Qs and As about Upper Animas. I don't think it's all that responsive, but it is useful that it's been vetted.

Joan

From: McClain-Vanderpool, Lisa
Sent: Tuesday, October 13, 2015 3:53 PM
To: McGrath, Shaun; Card, Joan; Hestmark, Martin
Cc: Smith, Paula; Mylott, Richard
Subject: 2 of the 4 Finley follow ups - please review.

1. Colorado apparently did not do water quality checks in 2014 (following the 2012 update of the 2010 water quality assessments - according to a cancellation memo -- skipping what the Clean Water Act requires. What concerns did/does the EPA raise about Colorado skipping this activity? Can the state simply cancel the 2014 Section 303(d) listing process? (The governor apparently identified water supply projects as a high priority and shifted staff responsibilities accordingly.) We need the EPA position on this.

Deliberative Process/Ex. 5

When the EPA designates a site for superfund cleanup, does that mean money is available?
Or is there a second step depending on Congress that determines whether a superfund
cleanup actually happens?

Pending approval from GKM team: (DO YOU APPROVE?)

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